

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
for the  
Eastern District of New York

NEHEMIAS NAVAS PEREZ, ERICK RAMIREZ SANCHEZ, OSCAR ALMAZAN LINARES, on behalf of themselves, individually, and all other persons similarly situated,	)
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Plaintiff(s)	)
v.	)
BRANCHING OUT TREE SERVICE, INC., and MICHAEL REITER,	)
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Defendant(s)	)

Civil Action No. 24-cv-00248-LGD

**SUMMONS IN A CIVIL ACTION**

To: *(Defendant's name and address)* BRANCHING OUT TREE SERVICE, INC.- 405 Ralph Ave., Copiague, NY 11726  
MICHAEL REITER- 405 Ralph Ave., Copiague, NY 11726

A lawsuit has been filed against you.

Within 21 days after service of this summons on you (not counting the day you received it) — or 60 days if you are the United States or a United States agency, or an officer or employee of the United States described in Fed. R. Civ. P. 12 (a)(2) or (3) — you must serve on the plaintiff an answer to the attached complaint or a motion under Rule 12 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. The answer or motion must be served on the plaintiff or plaintiff's attorney, whose name and address are:

Sara V. Messina, Esq.  
Romero Law Group PLLC  
490 Wheeler Road, Suite 277  
Hauppauge, NY 11788

If you fail to respond, judgment by default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint. You also must file your answer or motion with the court.

Date: 1/12/2024



BRENNNA B. MAHONEY  
CLERK OF COURT

*Concetta Landow*

*Signature of Clerk or Deputy Clerk*

Civil Action No. \_\_\_\_\_

**PROOF OF SERVICE**

*(This section should not be filed with the court unless required by Fed. R. Civ. P. 4 (l))*

This summons for *(name of individual and title, if any)* \_\_\_\_\_  
was received by me on *(date)* \_\_\_\_\_.

- I personally served the summons on the individual at *(place)* \_\_\_\_\_  
on *(date)* \_\_\_\_\_; or
- I left the summons at the individual's residence or usual place of abode with *(name)* \_\_\_\_\_,  
a person of suitable age and discretion who resides there,  
on *(date)* \_\_\_\_\_, and mailed a copy to the individual's last known address; or
- I served the summons on *(name of individual)* \_\_\_\_\_, who is  
designated by law to accept service of process on behalf of *(name of organization)* \_\_\_\_\_  
on *(date)* \_\_\_\_\_; or
- I returned the summons unexecuted because \_\_\_\_\_; or
- Other *(specify)*: \_\_\_\_\_

My fees are \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for travel and \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for services, for a total of \$ 0.00 \_\_\_\_\_.

I declare under penalty of perjury that this information is true.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ *Server's signature*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Printed name and title*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Server's address*

Additional information regarding attempted service, etc: